

*In Loving Memory  
of  
Eudora Benjamin*



27th January 1939 – 15th August 2018

Funeral Service to Celebrate the Life of Eudora on  
Tuesday 4th September 2018 at 10.30am

Our Lady and St Edwards  
Roman Catholic Church  
Gordon Road, St. Ann's  
Nottingham  
NG3 2LG

## Order Of Service

### Opening Hymn

#### Abide With Me

Abide with me, fast falls the eventide:  
The darkness deepens Lord, with me abide.  
When other helpers fail and comforts flee,  
Help of the helpless, oh, abide with me.

Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day.  
Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away.  
Change and decay in all around I see;  
O Thou who changes not, abide with me.

I need Thy presence every passing hour,  
What by Thy grace can foil the tempter's power?  
Who like Thyself my guide and stay can be?  
Through cloud and sunshine, Lord, abide with me.

I fear no foe, with Thee at hand to bless,  
Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.  
Where is death's sting? Where, grave, the victory?  
I triumph still, if Thou abide with me.

Hold Thou Thy Cross before my closing eyes:  
Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies.  
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee:  
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me.

### Welcome

### Opening Prayer

### 1st Reading

#### Hymn - The Old Rugged Cross

On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross  
The emblem of suffering and shame  
And I love that old cross where the dearest and best  
For a world of lost sinners was slain

So I'll cherish the old rugged cross  
Till my trophies at last I lay down  
And I will cling to the old rugged cross  
And exchange it some day for a crown

To the old rugged cross I will ever be true  
It's shame and reproach gladly bear  
Then he'll call me someday to my home far away  
Where his glory forever I'll share

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### **Gospel**

### **Homily**

### **Bidding Prayers**

Sharon, Lorraine and Olivia

(Each prayer ends: **Lord in your Mercy**, Response: **Hear Our Prayer**)

### **Lord's Prayer**

(Catholic Version in Full)

### **Tribute (Eulogy)**

Priest, Raia, Olivia

### **Opening Coffin**

Lady in Red

### **Final Commendation**

### **Music as we Leave**

Oh Happy Day

by Edward Hawkin Singers



Please join the family to celebrate the life of Eudora

Interment

Wilford Hill Cemetery  
Loughborough Road  
West Bridgford, Nottingham  
NG2 7FE

Wake

Queens Walk Community Centre  
The Meadows, Nottingham  
NG2 2DF